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For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR
GENERATING SIGNAL
WAVEFORMS IN A CDMA
CELLULAR TELEPHONE
SYSTEM

) Group No. 2631

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UNDER 37 CFR § 1.97(b)

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Dear Assistant Commissioner:

Applicants, through their attorney, submit herewith references of which they are aware, which they believe may be material to the examination of this application and with respect to which there may be a duty to disclose in accordance with 37 CFR § 1.56.

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Some of these documents have been previously submitted in U.S. application serial number 09/360,059, filed on July 23, 1999, now issued U.S. patent no. 6,693,951, issued on February 17, 2004;" U.S. patent no. 5,943,361, issued on August 24, 1999;" U.S. patent no. 5,416,797, issued on May 16, 1995;" and U.S. patent no. 5,103,459, issued on April 7, 1992; all of which are entitled, "System and Method for Generating Signal Waveforms in a CDMA Cellular Telephone System" and are currently assigned to the assignee of the present application.

At least one of the enclosed references is not in the English language. The following is an explanation of the relevance of non-English references for which an English translation is not available.

European patent application no. 0036605A1 describes a PCM system with scrambler for binary signals using one pseudo-random sequence to reduce the number of components and transit time. The cryptographic encoder (SC) scrambles several binary signals (BS1-BS4) in parallel and passes them to a multiplexer (MUX) for combining. The encoder consists of a shift register with feedback via a module 2 adder. The same pseudo-random sequence of different flip-flops within the shift register is used for encoding, i.e. pseudo-random sequences displaced in time. A synchronization sequence is sent by resetting the register and encoding continuous places.

The German-language document, Bobwetter, *"Die Erzeugung von Walsh-Funktionen,"* NTZ Heft 4, 1970, describes a Walsh function generation scheme. No application to spread spectrum communication systems appears to be evident from the drawings.

While the references identified herein may be material to the examination of this application pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.56, the citation of these references is not intended to constitute an admission that any reference referred to herein is prior art to the invention of this application unless specifically designated as such.

The filing of this document shall not be construed to mean that any search has been made or, that if made such search was complete or exhaustive, or that no other material information as defined in 37 CFR § 1.56 exists.

A list of the references cited herein is set forth on Form PTO-1449 which is enclosed herewith. In accordance with 37 CFR § 1.98(d) Applicants are not required to submit copies of the references and accordingly have not provided copies herewith. Applicants respectfully

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request that the Examiner return to Applicants the enclosed copy of the Form PTO-1449 indicating consideration of the references.

The subject application is believed patentable over any of the above-references.

Respectfully submitted,

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